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This guide lists directory information on the following library instruction resources: (1) national, regional, state, and specialized clearinghouses; (2) regional and state directories/handbooks of library Instruction programs; (3) national and state newsletters; (4) national, regional, state, and specialized columns/clearinghouse newsletters; and (5) clearinghouses reported defunct as of 1988. Detailed information provided for 14 clearinghouses includes a contact person, address, telephone number, founding date, source of funding, goals and objectives, loan policy, number of items circulated to/consulted by users in 1988, acquisition policy, number of items in collection, recent projects or activities, planned projects or activities, and publications by/about the clearinghouse. The clearinghouses represented are the Library Orientation/Instruction Exchange (LOEX); New England Bibliographic Instruction Clearinghouse (NEBIC); Southeastern Bibliographic Instruction Clearinghouse (SEBIC); California Clearinghouse on Library Instruction, Northern Section (CCLI, North); California Clearinghouse on Library Instruction, Southern Section (CCLI, South); Colorado Library Instruction Clearinghouse (CLIC); Florida Library Orientation/ Bibliographic Instruction Clearinghouse (LOBI); Hawaii Library Instruction Clearinghouse; Kentucky Library Instruction Clearinghouse (KLIC); Library User Education Roundtable (LUERT); Wisconsin Bibliographic Instruction Clearinghouse; American Theological Library Association (ATLA) Library Instruction Clearinghouse; and Bibliographic and Library Instruction in Secondary Schools (BLISS). (MES)

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DEPOSITORIES

National

United States

Library Orientation/ Instruction Exchange (LOEX)
Linda Shirato, Director
University Library
Eastern Michigan University
Ypsilanti, MI 48197
(313) 487-0168

Regional

New England

New England Bibliographic Instruction Clearinghouse (NEBIC)
Betsy Brenneman
Worcester State College
Learning Resources Center Room 204
Worcester, MA 01602
(617) 793-8000, x8647

Southeast

Southeastern Bibliographic Instruction Clearinghouse (SEBIC)
James Ward
Box 4146
David Lipscomb University Library
Nashville, TN 37204-3951
(615) 269-1000, x2283

State

California

California Clearinghouse on Library Instruction, Northern Section (CCLI, North)
Beth Sibley
Curator, CCLI Depository, North
Moffitt Library
University of California, Berkeley
Berkeley, CA 94720
(415) 642-5071

California Clearinghouse on Library Instruction, Southern Section (CCLI, South)
Esther Grassian
Curator, CCLI Depository, South
College Library
University of California, Los Angeles
Los Angeles, CA 90024
(213) 825-2138

Colorado

Colorado Library Instruction Clearinghouse (CLIC)
Roseanne Dawson
University Library
University of Southern Colorado
Pueblo, CO 81001
(719) 549-2362

Florida

Florida Library Orientation/ Bibliographic Instruction Clearinghouse (LOBI)
Karen C. Desaulniers
Director, Library Science Library
106 Louis Shores Building
Florida State University
Tallahassee, FL 32306-2048
(305) 275-2562

Hawaii

Hawaii Library Instruction Clearinghouse
Norma Matsukawa
Leeward Community College Library
96-045 Ala Ike
Pearl City, Oahu, HI 96782
(808) 455-0379

Kentucky

Kentucky Library Instruction Clearinghouse (KLIC)
Barbara Prior
Ekstrom Library
University of Kentucky, Belknap Campus
Louisville, KY 40292
(502) 588-6747 or (502) 558-8737

New Jersey

New Jersey Clearinghouse on Library User Education
Seton Hall University Library
South Orange, NJ 07049

New York

Library User Education Round Table (LUERT)
Barbara Settel
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200 Huntington Hall
Syracuse, NY 13244
(315) 423-2911 or (315) 677-9217

Wisconsin

Wisconsin Bibliographic Instruction Clearinghouse
Mary Jo Aman
Golda Meir Library
University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee
PO Box 604
Milwaukee, WI 53201
(414) 229-4659

Specialized

American Theological Library Association (ATLA) Library Instruction Clearinghouse
Sara J. Myers
Ira J. Taylor Library
Iliff School of Theology
2201 South University Blvd.
Denver, CO 80210
(303) 744-1287

Bibliographic and Library Instruction in Secondary Schools (BLISS)
Dianne Langlois
Andrew Mellon Library
Choate Rosemary Hall, PO Box 788
Wallingford, CT 06492
(203) 269-7722, x219

DIRECTORIES/ HANDBOOKS OF LIBRARY INSTRUCTION PROGRAMS

Regional

A Directory of Bibliographic Instruction Programs in New England Academic Libraries. New England Bibliographic Instruction Clearinghouse, Betsy Brenneman, Worcester State College, Learning Resources Center Room 204, Worcester, MA 01602.

Southeastern Bibliographic Instruction Directory: Academic Libraries, 1978. Southeastern Library Association, PO Box 987, Tucker, GA 30084. ($1.25 loose-leaf without binder)

State

Arizona Directory of Library Orientation and Instruction, 1983. Arizona State Library Association. College and Research Libraries Division. Tempe, AZ 85287.

Directory of Library Instruction Programs in California Academic Libraries, 1986. c/o Irene Hoffman, 10624 Regent Street, Los Angeles, CA 90034. ($12.50 prepaid; $15.00 billed)

Library Orientation/ Instruction in Florida's Academic Libraries, A Directory, 1983. Karen Desaulniers, Library Science Library, 106 Louis Shores Bldg, Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL 32306-2048.

Directory of Library Instruction Programs in Indiana Academic Libraries. Graduate School of Library and Information Science, Bloomington, IN 47405.

Academic Library Instruction in Kansas: 1983 Directory. Ray Morrison, Director, Mabee Library, Mid-America Nazarene College, PO Box 1776, Olathe, KS 66061-1776.

Directory of Library Instruction Programs in New Jersey. Edited by Lynn F. Miller. New Jersey Clearinghouse on Library User Education, Attn: Sister Anita Talar, McLaughlin Library, Seton Hall University, South Orange, NJ 07079.

New York Library Instruction Programs -- A Directory, 1976. Edited by Jacquelyn M. Morris, Elizabeth A. Elkins, and Ray Murray. Available for $2.00 to NYS libraries and librarians; $3.00 for those out of state. Make checks payable to the SUNY Research Foundation, Syracuse, NY 13210.

LIBRARY INSTRUCTION NEWSLETTERS

National

BIS Newsletter. Association of College and Research Libraries. Bibliographic Instruction Section. 50 East Huron Street, Chicago, IL 60611.

LOEX News. LOEX Clearinghouse, University Library, Eastern Michigan University, Ypsilanti, MI 48197.

Library Instruction Round Table News. Emily Okada, UGLS, Main Library W121, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN 47405.

State

CCLI Newsletter. California Clearinghouse on Library Instruction, Northern and Southern Sections. Bill Whitson, editor for the Northern Section, Moffitt Library, University of California, Berkeley, Berkeley, CA 94720; Deborah Costa, editor for the Southern Section, College Library, UCLA, 405 Hilgard Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90024-1450.

LIFLine Newsletter. Kathy Lance, Sweet Briar College Library, Sweet Briar, VA 24595.

COLUMNS/ CLEARINGHOUSE NEWS

National

Research Strategies, "Dialogue and Debate" column, Mountainside Publishing, PO Box 8330, Ann Arbor, MI 48107.

Regional

ACRL New England Chapter News, Jean Sheridan, URI College of Continuing Education, University of Rhode Island, 199 Promenade Street, Providence, RI 02908.

The Southeastern Librarian, Southeastern Library Association, Box 987, Tucker, GA 30084. ($10.00)

State

The South Carolina Librarian, Nancy Davidson, Dacus Library, Winthrop College, Rock Hill, SC 29733.

Specialized

ATLA Newsletter , American Theological Library Association, Archabbey Library, St. Meinrad School of Theology, St. Meinrad, IN 47577.

CLEARINGHOUSES REPORTED DEFUNCT AS OF 1988

Arizona Committee for Library Instruction Clearinghouse
University Library
Arizona State University
Tempe, AZ 85287

Clearinghouse on Library User Education (CLUE)
Indiana University / Purdue University at Fort Wayne
Helmke Library
2101 Coliseum Blvd
Fort Wayne, IN 46805

Library Orientation/ Instruction Exchange (LOEX)

Contact person: Linda Shirato, Director

Address: University Library, Eastern Michigan University, Ypsilanti, MI 48197

Phone: (313) 487-0168

Founding date: 1972

Source of funding: Annual institutional or personal memebership/ subscription of $50.00.

Goals and objectives: LOEX is the national exchange for the collection, organization and dissemination of library instruction materials and data in academic, school, special, and public libraries. LOEX exists to facilitate communication among libraries with instruction programs, to aid librarians, educators, and students in their research endeavors, and to coordinate activity among state and regional library instruction clearinghouses.

Loan policy: One week loans by mail or on-site visit.

Number of items circulated to users/ consulted by users during 1988: 9,827
January - June 1989: 6,885

Acquisition Policy: LOEX accepts (two or more copies) of everything.

Number of items in collection: 39,001

Recent projects or activities: Sponsored the 1989 LOEX Library Instruction Conference: "Coping with Information Illiteracy: Bibliographic Instruction for the Information Age." Conducted a national survey of academic libraries in 1987 in order to update all records concerning bibliographic instruction activities in the U.S. Created the "Dudley" database which includes all information from the 1987 survey -- lists of libraries participating in specific activities are available upon request. Created the "Speakers" database which includes the names of individuals who have given presentations on BI related topics since 1983.

Planned projects or activities: 1990 LOEX Conference to be held in Ypsilanti, Michigan -- the topic is teaching students how to evaluate sources of information.

Publications by/about clearinghouse:

LOEX News, v.l, n.1-, 1972-

Kirkendall, Carolyn, "Cooperation, Coordination and Communication: The LOEX Experience," In Fox, Peter, ed. *Library User Education: Are New Approaches Needed?* Proceedings of the 1979 Cambridge Conference. London: British Library, 1980.

-----, editor, "Dialogue and Debate." *Research Strategies* v.1, n.1 Winter 1983 - v.4, n.3 Summer 1986.

-----, "Information Exchanges for Library Instruction: Disseminating the Media." *Drexel Library Quarterly* 16 (January 1980): 103-115.

-----, co-author, "Instruction," in Schlachter, Gail, ed. *The Service Imperative for Libraries*. Littleton, CO: Libraries Unlimited, 1982.

-----, editor, "Library Instruction --A Column of Opinion in *Journal of Academic Librarianship* 1976-1982

continued . . .

-----, "Library Use Education: Current Practices and Trends." *Library Trends*, 29 (Summer 1980): 29-37.
Malley, Ian, "National Clearinghouses for User Education." *Libri* 32 (March 1982): 54-67.
Mensching, Teresa Bungard, editor, "Dialogue and Debate" *Research Strategies* v.4, n.4 Fall 1986 - v.8, n.1 Winter 1990.
-----, "Trends in Bibliographic Instruction in the 1980s: A Comparison of Data from Two Surveys." *Research Strategies* 7 (Winter 1989): 4-13.

Annual LOEX Conference *Proceedings* are available from Pierian Press, Ann Arbor, MI.

New England Bibliographic Instruction Clearinghouse (NEBIC)

Contact person: Betsey J. Brenneman

Address: NEBIC c/o Learning Resources Center Room 204, Worcester State College, Worcester, MA 01602

Phone: (508) 793-8000, Ext. 8647

Founding date: 1976

Source of funding: ACRL/ New England Chapter

Goals and objectives: Two task forces (collection and workshops) exist: to maintain a file of materials illustrating the range of bibliographic instruction activity throughout New England; to circulate materials to any requesting library; to promote BI workshops and related events throughout New England.

Loan policy: Materials circulate on request. Loan period is four weeks from receipt of materials.

Number of items circulated to users/ consulted by users during Spring 1987- Spring 1988: 962 items

Acquisition policy: Accumulate materials primarily from Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, and Vermont.

Number of items in collection: 2,289

Recent projects or activities: Built a new display case (to replace previous case, lost in transit) to feature a travelling collection of BI materials, shown at state association meetings, Annual and Fall ACRL/New England Chapter Conferences; had Committee members speak or be panelists at Massachusetts Association of Junior College Librarians, Rhode Island Library Association Conference, Merrimack Inter-Library Co-operative. Held a workshop as a pre-conference activity for BI librarians at the annual ACRL/NE Chapter Conference in the Spring 1988: "Teaching Skills for BI Librarians."

Planned projects or activities: To display travelling collection at all major regional state association conferences; to present one workshop each year on a topic of interest to BI librarians.

Publications by/about clearinghouse: Promotional fliers; BI column, in the ACRL/NE Chapter *Newsletter*; *Bibliographic Instruction Workshop Coordinator's Packet.*

Southeastern Bibliographic Instruction Clearinghouse (SEBIC)

Contact person: James E. Ward

Address: Box 4146, David Lipscomb University Library, Nashville, Tennessee 37204-3951

Phone: (615) 269-1000, Ext. 2283

Founding date: 1977

Source of funding: Southeastern Library Association (SELA)

Goals and objectives: To provide a collection of orientation and instruction materials primarily deposited by libraries in the Southeast for use in developing and improving programs.

Loan policy: Materials in the collection are available for on-site inspection or for a two-week loan period, and a special traveling exhibit has been organized for use at workshops, conventions, etc., upon special request. Where permissible, photocopying will be available at a small cost (usually $.10 a page).

Number of items circulated to users/consulted by users during January 1988-January 1989: 197
Traveling exhibit was sent out one time.

Acquisition policy: Most of the materials are deposited at no cost by libraries in the Southeast. Items from other regions are added on a selective basis as available. Libraries wishing to deposit materials should send at least two copies.

Number of items in collection: 5,065

Publications by/about clearinghouse: Promotional material. Information regarding SEBIC is included periodically in *The Southeastern Librarian* and state publications in the Southeast.

California Clearinghouse on Library Instruction, Northern Section (CCLI, North)

Contact person: Beth Sibley, Curator, CCLI Depository, North

Address: Moffitt Library, University of California-Berkeley, Berkeley, CA 94720

Phone: (415) 642-5071

Founding date: December 1975

Source of funding: Funds are raised through workshops.

Goals and objectives: According to the bylaws, the goals are: (1) to identify the variety of library instruction programs in progress and in preparation in California; (2) to provide for a depository of materials and information on instruction in library use in California; (3) to organize workshops throughout the state and programs at the CLA Annual Conference, to improve the quality of library instruction in California by sharing experiences, resources, and ideas.

Loan policy: Materials are available for on-site inspection or for one month loan period. Out-of-state requests are referred to LOEX.

Number of items circulated to users/ consulted by users during 1987-1988: 255

Acquisition policy: Materials have been solicited through questionnaires sent to academic libraries in California. Donations always accepted.

Number of items in collection: Four file boxes of print materials; 40 cassette tapes; 6 video cassette tapes.

Recent projects or activities: "Practical Programs and Creative Solutions in Library Instruction," November 14, 1987, CLA Conference; "Are You Fighting Your Building? Space Planning and Signage for Library Instruction," May 20, 1988, Spring workshop, University of Pacific; Videotape workshop "So Ya' Wanna Be in Pictures?!: Creating Videos for Library Instruction," May 12, 1989.

Planned projects or activities: Depository will be available at the CLA Conference in November 1989.

Publications by/about clearinghouse: *Directory of Library Instruction Programs in California Academic Libraries*. Compiled by Esther Grassian, 1986.

California Clearinghouse on Library Instruction, Southern Section (CCLI, South)

Contact person: Esther Grassian, Curator, CCLI Depository, South

Address: Reference Section, College Library, UCLA, Los Angeles, CA 90024-1450

Phone: (213) 825-2138

Founding date: 1973

Source of funding: Funds are raised through workshops to support workshops, printing and mailing of *CCLI Newsletter*, irregular publication of *Directory of Library Instruction Programs in California Academic Libraries*, plus the few supplies needed to maintain the depository.

Goals and objectives: According to the bylaws: (1) to identify the variety of library instruction programs in progress and in preparation in California; (2) to provide for a depository of materials and information on instruction in library use in California; (3) to organize workshops throughout the state and programs at the CLA Annual Conference, to improve the quality of library instruction in California by sharing experiences, resources, and ideas.

Loan policy: Print materials do not circulate, but may be photocopied. Anyone may make an appointment to look through the depository collection. The nine-box depository rotates among other Southern California college and university campuses on a regular basis. For two months, in the Fall of each year, the depository is housed at one of these campuses, and for two months in the Spring, at another. A/V materials circulate to libraries or librarians in California for a three-week period, with one renewal possible, if there is not waiting list.

Number of items circulated to users/ consulted by users during Spring 1987-Spring 1989: Print items: non-circulating. Non-print items: ca. 25.

Acquisition policy: Major solicitation is through irregular directory questionnaires sent to academic libraries in California. A few materials trickle in during non-questionnaire periods.

Number of items in collection: Nine large boxes of primarily pamphlet-length and some book-length materials; two boxes of non-print materials (audio and video-cassettes). No precise count available.

Recent projects or activities: Workshops and programs: "Bibliographic Instruction for Diverse Populations," California Library Association program, November 12, 1988; "Practically Speaking; an Interactive Workshop on the One-Hour Lecture," May 13, 1989; published "Guidelines for Library Assignments " in recent issue of *CCLI Newsletter*.

Publications by/about clearinghouse: Semi-annual edition of *CCLI Newsletter*. *Directory of Library Instruction Programs in California Academic Libraries, 1986*.

Colorado Library Instruction Clearinghouse (CLIC)

Contact Person: Roseanne Dawson

Address: University Library, University of Southern Colorado, Pueblo, CO 81001

Phone: (719) 549-2362

Founding date: January 1982

Source of funding: Colorado Library Association LIRT, University of Colorado Libraries

Goals and objectives: CLIC collects, organizes, publicizes and distributes materials produced by Colorado libraries for instruction and related to instruction.

Loan policy: Request individual items directly from the producing library and categories of items (for example, handbooks produced by public libraries) from CLIC. In both cases, include a 9"x12" self-addressed stamped envelope with your request. You may keep items received unless the sender specifies that they are on loan only.

Acquisition policy: Current items which would be of interest to librarians in Colorado. Out-of-state materials accepted.

Number of items in collection: Approximately 400

Planned projects or activities: Expanded search for materials and development of 9-12 grade level materials.

Florida Library Orientation/ Bibliographic Instruction Clearinghouse (LOBI)

Contact person: Karen Desaulniers, Director, Library Science Library

Address: 106 Louis Shores Bldg, Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL 32306-2048

Phone: (305) 275-2562

Founding date: 1977

Source of funding: None for clearinghouse; sponsored by Florida Library Association LOBI caucus (which paid for the first and second edition of the directory).

Goals and objectives: To gather and organize academic library orientation/ bibliographic instruction materials developed by member libraries, and to collect materials of other bibliographic instruction programs in the region and nation, including commercially published materials. To facilitate the exchange of information about orientation/instruction programs. To assist libraries in developing such programs by making available this information and materials.

Loan policy: To all Florida institutions; three week loan; no limit on number of items.

Number of items circulated to users/ consulted by users during Spring 1988 - Spring 1989: 26

Acquisition policy: Materials acquired through survey of libraries, through solicitation of regional libraries, and bought with monies allocated to the department.

Number of items in collection: 1,911

Hawaii Library Instruction Clearinghouse

Contact person: Norma Matsukawa

Address: Leeward Community College Library, 96-045 Ala Ike, Pearl City, Oahu, HI 96782

Phone: (808) 455-0379

Founding date: 1978

Source of funding: Contributions

Goals and objectives: To provide a depository for and make accessible library instruction materials produced in Hawaii and in selected other parts of the world.

Loan policy: Liberal

Publications by/about clearinghouse: *Hawaii Library Instruction Newsletter*, Vol. I, 1979 - Vol. VII, 1986.

Kentucky Library Instruction Clearinghouse (KLIC)

Contact person: Barbara Prior

Address: Ekstrom Library, University of Louisville, Belknap Campus, Louisville, KY 40292

Phone: (502) 588-6747 or (502) 588-8737

Founding date: August 1979

Source of funding: Library Instruction Roundtable, Kentucky Library Association

Goals and objectives: To foster open communications between Kentucky librarians involved or interested in library instruction and to exchange materials and ideas relevant to library instruction.

Loan policy: Open circulation, but primarily to Kentucky users.

Number of items circulated to users/ consulted by users during 1988: Not available

Acquisition policy: Send one copy; items from outside Kentucky institutions accepted.

Number of items in collection: 300 (as of 1986); recent count not available.

Planned projects or activities: Create policies and procedures.

Library User Education Roundtable (LUERT)

Contact person: Barbara Settel, LUERT Coordinator

Address: Syracuse University, 200 Huntington Hall, Syracuse, NY 13244

Phone: (315) 423-2911 or (315) 677-9217

Founding date: 1980. LUERT is within the New York Library Association. Replaces the defunct New York Library Instruction Clearinghouse: 1975-1980 (NYLIC) which represented only academic librarians.

Source of funding: Individuals belonging to LUERT pay $5.00 membership (added to NYLA dues). Grant for development of clearinghouse collection from Greater Capitol Region Teacher Center (funded by New York state legislature).

Loan policy: Bibliographies available upon request.

Goals and objectives: To promote library user education; to provide a forum within NYLA for communication among all types of librarians involved with library user eduction; to encourage cooperation and coordination of efforts among New York State librarians so that effective instruction can be offered to all library users; to provide continuing education opportunities for New York State librarians involved in user education services.

Planned projects or activities: In 1987, LUERT was to begin collecting and processing bibliographic instruction materials from school libraries in a 13 county area and compiling bibliographies of the materials. Six duplicate clearinghouses were planned at each of five school library system headquarters and at SUNY-Albany School of Information Science and Policy.

Wisconsin Bibliographic Instruction Clearinghouse

Contact Person: Mary Jo Aman

Address: University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Golda Meir Library, PO Box 604, Milwaukee, WI 53201

Phone: (414) 229-4659

Founding date: April 1987

Source of funding: Grant from ACRL and sale of holdings catalog

Goals and objectives: To share bibliographic instruction materials as inexpensively and quickly as possible with libraries throughout the state.

Loan policy: Material may be borrowed for a period of two weeks.

Number of items circulated to users/ consulted by users during January 1988-December 1988: Not available

Acquisition policy: We routinely call for materials and new editions which we use to supplant older editions

Number of items in collection: Not available

Publications by/ about clearinghouse: We advertise in state and national professional publications and exhibit at state conventions.

American Theological Library Association (ATLA)
Library Instruction Clearinghouse

Contact person: Sara J. Myers

Address: Ira J. Taylor Library, Iliff School of Theology, 2201 South University Blvd., Denver, CO 80210.

Phone: (303) 744-1287

Founding date: April 1980

Source of funding: ATLA Reader Services Committee

Goals and objectives: To collect and circulate relevant library instruction materials and collection development policies. To provide referral services, especially for non-print materials. To organize workshops for ATLA designed to increase library instruction skills. To serve as a coordinating agency for the systematic development of library instruction materials.

Loan policy: One month

Number of items circulated to users/ consulted by users during 1988: 50

Acquisition policy: Will accept any materials on religion or theology.

Number of items in collection: 3/4 file drawer

Planned projects or activities: Plan to update files by sending a survey to all ATLA libraries.

Publications by/about clearinghouse: Information regarding the Clearinghouse is printed in the *ATLA Newsletter*.

Bibliographic and Library Instruction in Secondary Schools (BLISS)

Contact person: Dianne C. Langlois

Address: Andrew Mellon Library, Choate Rosemary Hall, PO Box 788, Wallingford, CT 06492

Phone: (203) 269-7722, Ext. 219

Founding date: September 1979

Source of funding: None

Goals and objectives: Encourage and support the school librarian who is developing or improving a program of library instruction.

Loan policy: Will loan material on request for three weeks.

Number of items circulated to users/ consulted by users during Spring 1986 - Spring 1989: 10 requests

Acquisition Policy: Material is donated by other libraries.

Number of items in collection: Over 350

Recent projects or activities: Collecting and lending of clearinghouse materials.

Publications by/about clearinghouse: "Education is BLISS." *NELA Newsletter*, February 1980, p.6.